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The Official Organ of the Republican Party in Knox County.

ONE RESULT

Should the new rule proposed become effective, the Republican strength, in delegation, will in the future be considerably reduced. It is now proposed to allow national delegates in proportion of the number of votes cast by that party at the last regular election, and this rule, if carried out, will reduce the representative strength of this state by about 25%. Heretofore these delegates were allowed, two for each Congressional District and four delegates at large from the state. Since the Republican vote was divided at the last regular election and we did not poll our usual strength our delegation would necessarily be greatly reduced. This then is only one of the evils resulting from the leaving of the party by those who voted for Roosevelt at the recent election because "he was just as good a Republican" as the nominee, and who were told by the leaders of the Progressives that they could vote as they pleased and that it would not effect them in the future.

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

Another direct stroke at the freedom of the press is embodied in the bill now before the Lower House at Washington prohibiting the advertising of whiskey and other intoxicating liquors in newspapers.

We are strongly opposed to the sale of liquor in any form either legally or illegally nor would we carry a liquor advertisement in any column or the Advocate. Only last week we replied to a request for advertising rates for matter of this nature and pointedly refused the same. In this instance it is not a question as to whether we align ourselves with the liquor element or against them, but it is a question of rights and freedom; personal freedom, freedom of the press.

Should this measure become a law or be defeated it will not materially effect us, but it is vicious in its conception and no doubt would be declared unconstitutional should it ever become a law and be put into effect. Should this bill ever come to a vote it is hoped that our representative will not be deceived or influenced by any such nonsensical sentimentalities which could in no degree aid the temperance cause.

THEIR CHANGE

Just what relation the organization of the Democrats will have with the coming primary election for county officers in this county remains to be seen. For sometime there has been going the rounds hints that there would be a fusion between the Democrats and the remaining Progressives in Knox County in which an attempt would be made to wrest the offices from the Republicans entirely, but heretofore the talk has been solely between individuals and was not "official." The Progressives have no organization in this county and probably will not perfect one.

A very prominent Democrat recently said when asked con-

cerning any fusion between the two parties, that as individuals there would be no use whatever to discuss the matter, but before any discussion would take place officially the Progressives would have to bring their organization, to the leaders of the Democratic organization and then discuss the matter.

Since the Progressives are not yet organized nothing more can be learned now than before the election of the Democratic County Chairman and subsequent organization of the county but it is almost a certainty that the Democrats will undertake to play a part in the coming August primary election.

Treasurer's Financial Statement

J. M. Riddle salary as Judge for Jan. Feb. and March 45.00
John Williams overcharge on tax for 1911 2.00
Rev. E. W. Harrop overcharge on 1911 tax 2.20
J. A. Owens freight on lime stone 25.73
Total 548.58

Orders paid in May 1912

J. A. Bowman salary for April \$ 25.00

First National Bank coupons on 1909, 1910 and 1911 bonds 300.00

Sherman Baker labor 5.50

Birt Catron hauling on streets 9.12

James Bunch, labor 5.50

Peoples News Printing Co., for printing 4.75

James McQueary, labor 5.50

Judge S. B. Dishman brick bats for streets 1.50

Cumberland Natural Gas Co., gas for April and March 2.36

James McQueary, labor 6.00

Birt Catron hauling on streets 7.00

James Bunch, labor 6.00

Sherman Baker, labor 6.12

Bill Moore, labor 1.25

Barbourville Electric Light Co., for April lights 125.00

H. C. Faulkner Jr. salary as City Atty. 16.65

J. T. Williams & J. T. King for fill at river bridge 65.00

Henry Hubbard labor 1.25

S. H. Jones city cost in Hershberg case 8.55

J. D. Faulkner, labor 3.50

J. F. Catron salary as City Atty for Jan and half of Feb. 24.90

Bob Goins, labor 4.56

Total 635.01

Orders paid in June 1912

Charles Kelley, labor \$ 2.50

James McQueary, labor 11.40

Sherman Baker, " 12.50

Birt Catron hauling on streets 21.25

Rice Bowman, labor 1.00

James Bunch, " 9.33

R. S. Matthews salary as Assessor for 1912 64.62

John Vanbever for blacksmithing 1.80

H. C. Faulkner Jr. salary as City Atty. 16.65

Josh Faulkner hauling on streets 14.85

J. A. Bowman salary for May 25.00

J. A. Bowman for burying dogs, and lumber 6.25

Herndon & Tinsley, chairs and freight for City Hall 21.73

Birt Catron labor and hauling on streets 42.75

Arthur Bowman, labor 8.75

Sherman Baker, labor 6.25

Rice Bowman, labor 2.50

John McCreary, labor 1.80

John Burgess, labor 6.00

Wilson Bros, dynamite and powder hammers steel 39.16

James McCreary, labor 6.90

Sol Hubbard, labor 6.25

James Burgess, " 7.50

James Bunch, " 6.25

Steve Philpot, " 5.00

James Bright, " 5.00

James Golden, " 1.60

J. H. Catron services as supervisor 6.00

Wm. Fisher hauling on streets 5.70

Sherman Baker, labor 6.85

Birt Catron labor and hauling 39.37

John Bray hauling on streets 4.00

Rice Bowman, labor 5.25

George Burgess, labor 5.62

Sam Fisher, hauling on streets 12.30

T. F. Faulkner services as supe.viser 6.00

Evie Messer hauling on Streets 1.00

John Deaton hauling on streets 31.50

William Moore, labor 6.25

Wade Prichard hauling on streets 3.00

G. W. Tye freight and hauling 3.62

Josh Faulkner hauling on streets 3.60

James Burgess, Labor 15.75

John Burgess, " 15.75

Steve Philpot, " 9.37

Arthur Bowman, " 13.12

James Bunch, " 13.15

Dan Cuff, " 13.12

Sol Hubbard, " 13.12

James McQueary, " 13.12

James Shorter, " 12.50

Bill Pope, " 1.33

Sharley Kelley, " 2.77

Total 843.17

Orders paid in July

Sam Fisher for hauling on streets 4.00

Rice Bowman labor 2.47

Arthur Bowman, " 6.82

James Bunch, " 7.62

Birt Catron labor and hauling 26.67

First National Bank coupon on 1912 bond 25.00

John Burgess for labor 2.50

First National Bank for coupon on 1912 bond 25.00

Rice Bowman labor 3.90

John Bray for labor 5.25

First National Bank for coupon on 1912 bond 25.00

Birt Catron hauling on streets 14.09

First National Bank for coupon on 1912 bond 25.00

H. C. Faulkner Jr. salary for June 16.65

John H. Burgess labor 11.07

T. F. Faulkner & Co statement rendered for tiling 68.25

First National Bank for 1913 bond and coupon on same 525.00

First National Bank for 1 coupon on 1912 bond 25.00

Bill Moore labor 10.06

James McQueary, " 10.06

George Burgess, " 10.06

James Burgess, " 11.07

Wilson Bros for dynamite & tax book 35.41

Middlesboro Base Ball Club Officers

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the recently incorporated Middlesboro Base Ball Club the following officers were elected:

J. L. Manring, Pres., Boyd Rice, Vice-Pres., Will Horr, Treas., W. Clint Hale, Sec'y., L. K. Rice, General manager, and War Sanders, of Chattanooga, Player Manager.

Mr. Sanders is a left handed pitcher and can also play the positions of first base and outfield. He has played on the St. Louis, Nationals and Nashville Southern League teams. The season of 1912 he was in a crippled condition, but played a number of games with the Morristown Appalachian League team. He reports that he is now in fine shape for the coming season.—News-Record.

BROWN

Henry T. Brown after a brief illness died at his home Friday night January seventeenth, at the age of sixty five years and two days. Mr. Brown was one of the older citizens of Barbourville having lived here for the last several years. He had the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. He was one of the few men who stuck to his word, whatever financial cost it involved to him. He was a member of the Barbourville Baptist Church, and for a long time had served as a deacon in that congregation. He leaves a wife and two daughters—Mrs. L. G. Miller of this city and Mrs. Sudie Sutton of Corbin, and a host of friends in the church and community who mourn his departure. The funeral was held in the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Hutson, after which the body was buried in the City Cemetery.

A Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all of our neighbors and friends who so kindly remembered us in our recent affliction in the death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Henry Brown,
" Loss Miller,
" Ben Sutton.

Prize winners at the Picture Show

Last Saturday night was amateur night at the Star Picture Show and the best crowd yet to attend was then present. The house was crowded to standing room and the performances were greatly enjoyed by the large audience. Jessie (Sheepy) Vermillion was the winner of the first prize, doing some high class work in his foot shuffling act, while Miss Roberta Cole and Miss Ethel Jones were also awarded prizes for their singing acts.

The manager, Mr. Brown, is having the greatest success of any who have undertaken the moving picture business in this city, and from his past experiences in this line knows just what it takes to successfully handle this business. His pictures are better than those formerly shown here and that accounts in one way for the increased attendance. Hereafter amateur night will be on Thursday unless otherwise announced.

To Consumptives

Rev. Edward A. Wilson was cured by simple means of a severe throat and lung affection which developed into consumption. If you will write to Mr. Chas. A. Abbott, 60 Ann St., New York City, he will send you (FREE OF CHARGE) Mr. Wilson's full description of his cure. It will cost you nothing and may prove a blessing.

5-24-12

POULTRY NOTES

Never harbor mongrel stock. Don't forget to whitewash the interior of your houses.

Expect disease and low vitality when fowls are bred year in and year out.

Send to market all the stock that you can spare, for the prices of feed are still high.

Pump chickens are wanted in market; remember that lousy chickens will not fatten.

From October 15th to about November 20th the best prices for poultry are generally obtained.

New blood may be added to the flock, by buying some choice pullets of a reliable poultry keeper.

Lining nest boxes with newspapers makes it easy to lift out litter, paper and all. Then set a match to it.

Authorities claim that the eggs from a hen will be fertile for ten days after the removal of the male from the flock.

Do not let your young birds roost with the old hens, as they are liable to catch diseases which old hens are more subject to.

All hens which have completed their second laying season should be disposed of at once, to make room for the young stock.

Save the small potatoes and imperfect heads of cabbage and other waste vegetables. They will all be relished by the hens in the winter.

Don't delay any longer making repairs to the houses or fences, winter may be here before you are ready. At the same time, clean up the runs and walks.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT

National Supply Company, Plaintiff

vs.

Knox Lubricating Oil & Refining Company, Defts.

By virtue of a judgement and order of sale made and entered in the above styled action at the November term, 1910, of the Knox Circuit Court, the undersigned, Master Commissioner will on Monday, January 27, 1913, at the Court House door in the city of Barbourville, Ky., about the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., upon a credit of six months, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, the property described in the judgement and ordered to be sold in this action, viz:

Two tracts of land, lying in Knox County, Ky., on waters of Little Richland Creek, viz:

FIRST TRACT: beginning at a water birch and sycamore, J. R. Payne's corner; thence with the Hurricane branch road to the Tugle line; thence south with the Tugle line to the second crossing of the creek, northeast corner of Hughes' fence; thence with Hughes' fence to corner on J. R. Payne's line; thence with said last named line to the creek; thence with the creek, as it meanders to the beginning.

SECOND TRACT: bounded on the east by the lands of Harmon Payne; on the south by the lands of Samuel Newman; on the west by the lands of Samuel Newman; on the north by lands of Harmon Payne.

Or so much of said lands, or one tract, as may be necessary to raise the debt, interest and cost.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security bearing interest at six per cent from the day of sale, with lien retained on the property to secure the payment, payable to the plaintiff in the judgement.

Amount to be raised \$68.09 with interest from October 2, 1906, and cost amounting to \$45.00.

This 4 day of Jan. 1913.

W. W. BYRLEY, Master Commissioner Knox Circuit Court.

Sale about 1 P. M. Purchasers must execute bonds as soon as sale is over, or the property will be immediately put up and resold.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT

J. J. Pursifull, Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Valentine, &c., Defts.

By virtue of a judgement and order of sale made and entered in the above styled action at the April term, 1912, of the Knox Circuit Court, the undersigned Master Commissioner will on Monday January 27th, 1913, at the Court House door in the city of Barbourville, Ky., about the hour of 1 o'clock, P. M., upon a credit of six months, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder the property described in the judgement and ordered to be sold in this action, viz:

Lying in Knox County, Ky., in what is known as Crowder addition to Himyar, and known as the James Hampton house and lot;

Beginning at a stake on the road leading from the Barbouville road, at a double poplar corner and on the northeast corner of Flem Carnes' lot; thence southward 210 feet to a stake on Wm. Miller's line; thence northward course to J. L. Reeder's line; thence with Reeder's line a southeast course to a stake at the street leading to the double poplar; and with the street a southerly course to the beginning. Containing about 1 1/4 acres.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with approved security bearing interest at six per cent from the day of sale, with lien retained on the property to secure the payment, payable to the undersigned Commissioner.

Amount to be raised \$118.12, with interest from June 10, 1906, subject to credit of \$35 paid March 10, 1908, and \$20 paid December 21, 1908, and \$2.15 cost.

This 4th day of January 1912.

W. W. BYRLEY, Master Commissioner Knox Circuit Court.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT

Ellis Gregory, Plaintiff

vs.

Helen Jones et al., Defts.

The undersigned, Commissioner of Knox Circuit Court, will on January 27, 1913, at the Court House door, in Barbourville, Kentucky, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M., expose to public sale to the

highest and best bidder the property hereinafter described. Said sale is made pursuant to a judgement and order of sale of the Knox Circuit Court, made and entered the January term, 1913, on the 3rd day thereof, and is to satisfy a judgement on a mortgage and note for the sum of \$100.00, with interest and cost from and after October 3, 1908, and this action and sale is approximately \$20.00. The said property will be sold to the highest and best bidder on six months time the purchasers to give bond with approved surety, immediately after the sale, and if he fails for 30 minutes so to do the property will again be sold pursuant to this notice and the bid of the first purchaser disregarded. Said property is the following:

"A certain tract of land situated in Knox County, Kentucky, on the waters of Fighting Creek, and being the same lands conveyed to first parties by deed from Samuel Jones, bearing date February 9, 1906, and recorded in Deed Book No. 11, at page 356 in Knox County Court Clerk's Office, and more specifically described as follows:

On the Wiggins Branch, the waters of Fighting Creek, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a locust post in the wire fence; thence n 85° w 7 1/4 poles to a gate post; thence s 70° n 9 1/4 poles to a sycamore at Ben Jones' house; thence s 83 1/2° n 12 1/2 poles to a stake on Mary Bartelows line; thence with the same s 15° e 28 1/2 poles to a stake at the fence; thence with the fence n 75° e 9 poles to a stake; thence n 84° e 6 1/2 poles to a stake; thence e 12 1/2 poles to a stake in Alex Jones' line; thence with Alex Jones' line and Charlie White's line 25 poles to a stake; thence n 85° w 1 pole to the beginning.

Given under my hand as Commissioner of the Knox Circuit Court, this January 9, 1913.

W. W. BYRLEY, Commissioner Knox Circuit Court.

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